

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of reviewing incident data on an external defibrillator having a screen, comprising:

deploying the defibrillator for use in an emergency, wherein the defibrillator is attached to a patient;

monitoring ECG data from the patient;

recording the monitored ECG data in memory; and

activating an incident review mode in which the previously recorded ECG data stored in memory and the currently monitored information ~~is displayed~~ are displayable simultaneously on the defibrillator screen of the defibrillator while the patient is being monitored by the defibrillator without the need to attach the defibrillator to another external device for display, and said recorded ECG data also being displayable offline.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

retrieving the recorded ECG data from memory; and replaying the recorded ECG memory on a visual image generator.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the activating step is accomplished by user intervention.

4. (Original) The method of claim 2 wherein the replaying step occurs automatically without user actuation of an activation button.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the recording step includes recording audible data received from a microphone into memory.

6. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the replaying step further comprises replaying audible data recorded into memory during the recording step.

7. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein prior to the replaying step, a user select which information is replayed.

8. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 7 wherein the user selects from the group consisting of: ECG data, audible data, and a combination of ECG and audible data.

9. (Previously Amended) The method according to claim 1 wherein the ECG data is selected from the group consisting of: patient ECG data and patient data therapy.

10. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the replaying step is activated by the user depressing soft keys.

11. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the replaying step is activated by the user depressing a combination of soft keys.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the incident review mode is activated in response to disconnecting the patient from the defibrillator.

13. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the incident review mode is activated in response to insertion of a battery.

14. (Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising the step of displaying a legend on a visual image generator that the defibrillator is event review mode.

15. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the replaying is optional and the replaying option is presented to a user when the defibrillator is turned off.

16. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the replaying is optional and the replaying option is presented to the user when a battery is inserted into the defibrillator.

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18. (Original) The method of claim 17 wherein the replaying step further comprises displaying currently monitored ECG data along with the recorded ECG data retrieved from memory.

19. (Currently Amended) An external defibrillator comprising:
a controller;
an energy delivery system operable by the controller to deliver an electrical shock from an energy source to an electrode interface;
memory for recording incident data;
a screen;
an incident review activator; and
an incident review output comprising a visual image generator, wherein the incident review output retrieves the incident data from memory upon activation of the incident review activator by the user and simultaneously displays the retrieved incident data on the defibrillator screen and the current patient monitoring while the patient is

being monitored by the defibrillator without requiring communication with an external device.

20. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 19 wherein the incident review output also comprises an audible sound generator.

21. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 20 wherein the memory is selected from the group consisting of: flash, EEPROM, ROM and RAM.

22. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 20 wherein the incident review output also comprises an audible sound generator.

23. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 19 wherein the incident review activator is a soft key.

24. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 19 wherein the incident review activator is a combination of soft keys.

25. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 19 wherein the defibrillator further comprises incident review navigators.

26. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 24 wherein the incident review navigators enable a caregiver to advance or replay the incident.

27. (Currently Amended) The external defibrillator of claim 26 wherein the incident review ~~navagator~~ navigator is a soft key.

28. (Original) The external defibrillator of claim 26 wherein the incident review navigator is a combination of soft keys.
